## ASSOCIATION OF BAY AREA GOVERNMENTS

Representing City and County Governments of the San Francisco Bay Area



**MEMO** 

Submitted by: Judy Kelly

Subject: Executive Board Authorization to Enter into a Contract with the

Aquatic Science Center for Services on the State Water Board's

Wetland and Riparian Area Protection Policy

Date:

May 4, 2010

## **Executive Summary**

The Aquatic Science Center (ASC), a joint powers authority, between the San Francisco Estuary Institute, the San Francisco Bay Regional Water Board and the Bay Area Clean Water Agencies, has a State Water Board contract to provide services for the statewide Wetland and Riparian Area Protection Policy development and implementation. Under this contract, as a subcontractor to ASC, ABAG/SFEP staff will assist the State Water Board, Regional Water Boards, and ASC with policy development and review, with policy implementation including developing training materials, and with directing and coordinating public participation and education.

The subcontract amount totals \$68,000 for a term of one year.

## **Recommended Action**

Staff recommends the Board approve the Executive Director or designee to enter into this subcontract with the Aquatic Science Center.

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